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UNITED STATES PATENT APPLICATION
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TITLE: **NICKEL BLOW MOLD AND HOLDER DEFINING
HEAT TRANSFER PASSAGES THEREBETWEEN**

INVENTORS: Michael J. Ryan and Reinhart Weber

The Commissioner of Patents
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Washington, D.C. 20231
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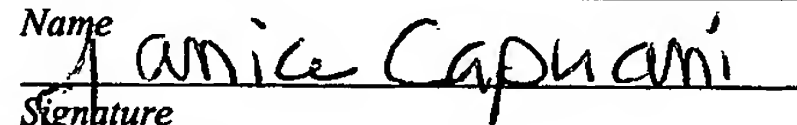
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